Breach at Bird Sanctuary In Tamil Nadu

4261. SHRI GURUDAS KAMAT: Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a breach has developed at Tamil Nadu bird sancturay;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether any damage has been caused to the sancturary; and

(d) if so, thedetails thereof?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT AND FORESTS (SHRI KAMAL NATH): (a) and (b). It has been reported by the Chief Wildlife Warden, Tamil Nadu, that due to the cyclone that swept through Tamil Nadu during the first week of november, 1991, a breach had developed in the bund in the Vedanthangal Bird Sancturary in the Chengaipattu district, Tamil Naou.

(c) and (d). The breach is reported to have been closed immediately preventiang any damage to the Sanctuary.

[*Translation*]

Construction of Railway Platforms in U.P.

4262. SHRI RAJVEER SINGH:
SHRI BALRAJ PASSI:

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whethr the Government propose to construct platforms at the railway stations in Aonala, Bareilly and Nainital;

(b) if so, the time by which these are likely to be constructed; and

(c) if not, the reasons therefor?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) to (c). Railway stations in Aonla and Bareilly already have platforms which are adequate for the present volume of traffic. Nainital is served by Kathgodam railway station which also has adequate number of platforms to handle the existing volume of passenger traffic.

Construction of Sheds at Railway Stations

4263. SHRI RAJVEER SINGH
SHRI BALRAJ PASSI

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) the names of railway stations selected for construction of sheds during 1991;

(b) the number of sheds constructed so far alongwith the number and names of stations where sheds are yet to be constructed;

(c) the amount spent thereon so far; and

(d) the estimated amount to be spent on the sheds yet to be constructed?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MALLIKARJUN): (a) to (d). A statement is attached.